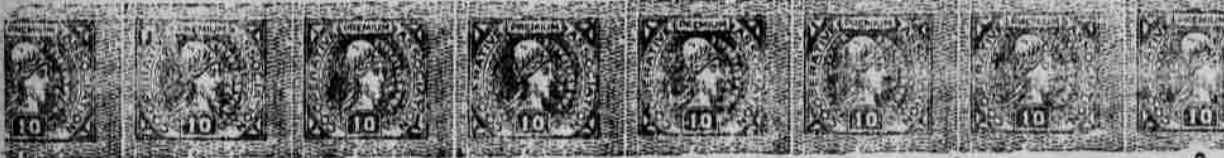


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FORD COUNTY NORMAL

Instructors Employed For the Coming Normal Institute.

The announcements for the Ford county Normal institute will soon be sent out to the teachers of the county.

A good corps of instructors have been employed and County Superintendent Woodbury anticipates a large attendance. He is using his utmost efforts to have all of the teachers in this county take advantage of the Normal, and is confident that the work done will greatly benefit the schools the coming year.

The conductor will be Prof. Bushey of the Pittsburg schools, who is recommended as one of the best institute workers in this state. The instructors will be Supt. Smith of the Dodge City schools, F. M. Patterson of Yates Center, Wilbur F. Clark, Mrs. L. A. Madison and Supt. Woodbury.

The institute will be held in the Third ward school building beginning on June 6 and closing on June 29. Examination will be held from June 30 to July 1.

Sealed Bids Wanted.

Carpenters and builders are hereby notified that sealed bids for the construction of a county pest house will be received by the county clerk at his office in Dodge City, Kansas, on and prior to June 5, 1905, at 9 o'clock a. m. Plans and specifications for said proposed building may be seen at county clerk's office. The board of commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

S. H. CONNAWAY, County Clerk.

Coal, Coal.

Leave orders for prepared Canon, just the fuel for summer use, \$5.50 per ton. E. E. SMITH.

RAILROAD PROSPECTS

Bucklin is Asked for Co-operation on New Road.

NEW ROUND HOUSE THERE

Dodge will be Visited Soon by Same People to Discuss Plans.

The Medicine Lodge railroad promoters who have taken out a charter to build a road from Medicine Lodge to Colorado passing through Ford county held a meeting with the Bucklin people yesterday, and expect to be in Dodge City on a similar mission in a week or two.

The talk at Bucklin has been that the road will be built west from Bucklin on the township line touching Ford, Sedville, Bloom, Concord and Wilburn townships.

They have a proposition to offer Bucklin to build there a twenty-five stall round house. They want from \$15,000 to \$18,000 bonds in Bucklin township to cover 100 acres of land and other division improvements. Bucklin will send a committee to Anthony next Monday to call the railroad builders hand and to find just what they want and how much it will cost. The Bucklin people are going about things in a careful, business like manner, and while they will be cautious about making any mistakes they will be on the alert for any advantage they can gain for the town by securing a new road. The time asked to complete the road, it is understood, is two years.

The railroad people claim they are also considering the matter of running over the Rock Island road from Bucklin to Dodge City and then southwest over the old Montezuma grade, and in addition to this extending a line from Dodge City to the northwest.

The road would seem to be a Rock Island project, and if it is, the plan favored most will be to go directly west from Bucklin. But it is quite probable that even should this be done, a part of the plan will be to extend the Dodge City branch already here, from this point to the northwest.

Dodge City has been slow about getting posted on the plans of the proposed road. There seems to be a strong probability that the line from Medicine Lodge will be built. The projectors have been in Haskell, Morton and other western counties trying to secure a right of way.

The matter ought to have been investigated by Dodge City long ago on the grounds that no chance should be overlooked. If the road is a Rock Island project there would be little chance of changing any of their plans, but it pays a town to know these things.

Thrashing Outfit for Sale.

Complete thrashing outfit for sale. Consisting of one 18-horse power Reeves double cylinder compound traction engine. One 36-60 Avery separator with automatic blow stacker and self feeder attached. One Reeves clover huller with self-feeder and blow stacker attached. For particulars write A. M. Irwin, Fairview, Kas., Brown Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Corey left Monday night for Portland, Oregon. Mr. Corey is a delegate to the Conductor's convention. They will visit in Utah, California, Washington, Montana, Wyoming and Denver. They expect to be gone about six weeks.

MINSTREL A SUCCESS

Home Talent Performance Made a Big Hit and Drew Large Crowd.

The home talent minstrel show given on last Friday and Saturday nights was in every way the most successful "benefit" performance ever given in Dodge City. The success of the undertaking was due, not so much to its being given in such a worthy cause, as to the selection of the performers. As a foundation Judge Madison, L. G. Grobety, Dr. O. H. Simpson, L. J. Pettijohn, Sam Wilkinson and Dill Lamborn consented to act as end men and L. A. Madison as interlocutor. These gentlemen freely and cheerfully offered to undertake the necessary work in the interest of the public library benefit. Then a chorus was picked out from among the best singers in town, and no single one refused to contribute his help in the undertaking. After this Mr. Beeson and his excellent orchestra was called upon and this organization showed

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its loyalty to the public interests of Dodge City by offering to furnish the show the best orchestra in Kansas. A number of singers upon request consented to furnish the solo numbers and the "company" was complete. Music had been previously secured, and it was picked from a dozen different eastern publishing houses.

It is quite an undertaking to even get such a "company" together, but the real work comes when the drilling for the performance begins, and a heavy part of the work and responsibility falls upon the musical director. Mr. Merritt Beeson who acted as director showed marked aptitude and ability. It was his first attempt but from the start he proved himself equal to the requirements, and his work in the rehearsals shows that Dodge City has produced one of the best musical directors of Kansas.

Some of the hardest work done in preparing the show was done by a number of the ladies of Dodge City, who, while they did not appear upon the stage, were never the less contributing quite as much work toward the success of the entertainment. The suits worn in the first part of the minstrel excepting the \$400 dress suit worn by the distinguished and fatally handsome interlocutor, Mr. Lewis Apollo Madison, were made by these ladies, and by doing this work the ladies not only helped to make a very pretty stage setting, but saved a good many dollars to the library fund.

The work of the end men, soloists, chorus and in fact of every one in any way in the cast was very creditable. Nearly every one in Dodge City saw the performance and every one who attended has nice things to say of the show so that individual mention is not necessary. Those who took part were: Judge E. H. Madison, L. G. Grobety, L. J. Pettijohn, Dr. O. H. Simpson, Sam Wilkinson, Dill Lamborn, Merritt Beeson, Leon Gilbert, Karl Miller, Richard Stubbs, Bert Easting, Otto Faulkner, John Kirkpatrick, Will Miller, George Martin, Will Martin, P. H. Young, Ross Pixley, Arthur Watson Nelson Crawford, Glen Lawrence, Dillworth Baird, J. C. Cady, Clint Gilbert, Chas. Imel, Roy Martin, Ralph Miller Will Hunt, B. A. French, Roy Krebs, C. M. Beeson, Louie Baeder, S. P. Reynolds, Otero Beeson, Robt. Rath, Spencer Baird, Charles Anderson, Jesse Rogers, Chas. Seates, C. E. Smith, Earl Young and Charlie Dutro.

The first part had a very pretty and brilliant stage setting and was excellent

musically, and the funnyisms of the end men made very decided hits with the audience. In the second part the violin solo by Ralph Miller and the cornet and trombone duet by Merritt and Otero Beeson were excellent features, and the two quartets were well received. French and Krebs' turn was a good show in itself and received many compliments. The burlesque sextette was one of the decided hits of the evening.

There were two men from out of town who deserve especial credit for their part in the show. One was Mr. Will Hunt, the splendid singer who kindly contributed to the second part. His "Toreador" was one of the best things ever heard in Dodge City, and added to the effect of his splendid singing, the accompaniment played by Mrs. Hellwarth made the song a particularly artistic performance.

Mr. Lamborn of Hutchinson who acted as an end man in the first part and sang in the second, is one of the most popular men who has ever appeared on the stage in Kansas. Any show that he is in is a success, and his kindness in lending his ability to the minstrel is certainly highly appreciated by Dodge City. Mr. Lamborn is the star of every performance he appears in, and is a royal good fellow besides. His appearance here gives him several hundred more friends and admirers in Dodge City.

The show as a drawing card has the house record for the season and other seasons. The "rush for seats" proved to be a well founded warning. Every thing sold the first night and the second night was a repetition of the first.

The complete sale of tickets amounted to \$480.00 and when the house rent and all expenses are paid there will be upwards of \$350.00 left, which will be a nice addition to the library fund. The expenses were kept down to the minimum, and are at least a hundred dollars below the ordinary expenses of putting on such a performance. Many who were in the show paid some of their expenses out of their own pockets, and every person named above in the list which made up the company is deserving of a whole lot of credit for the hard work done in securing this nice fund for the library, and for giving an entertainment which was more than worth the ticket price, and which was enjoyed hugely by every one who attended.



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